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TOWN OFFICERS 1926

Moderator, GEORGE F. CRANE

Town Clerk, JOHN S. SMART

Selectmen

EMMETT S. ROBINSON ARTHUR W. NELSON

ALLISON R. NORTON

Treasurer	WALTER R. NELSON
Tax Collector	JOHN S. SMART
Fire Warden	GEORGE F. CRANE
Constable	WILLIAM B. DANDROW
Auditor	GEORGE F. CRANE

Supervisors

FRANK H. SMITH ARCHIE O. GOVE

RUSSELL WHITNEY

Road Agents

ALFRED B. BABB OSCAR L. CARTER

FRED E. TEAGUE.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Goshen in the County of Sullivan in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at town hall in said Goshen on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Art. 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for same.

Art. 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the repair of highways and bridges.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for permanent improvement of highways and raise and appropriate the necessary money therefore.

Art. 5. To raise and appropriate the money necessary for state aid maintenance.

Art. 6. To raise and appropriate the money necessary for trunk line maintenance.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Library.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and town treasurer to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for participation in the Centenial Celebration of Sullivan County, authorize the selectmen to pay same to the Treasurer of the County Committee, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

Art. 10. To see what action the town will take in regard to the White Pine Blister Rust and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to accept and repair the road leading to the residence of O. L. Nelson, from the state aid road near the high bridge so called.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to purchase a Tractor and Plow for snow removal and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to close the following roads subject to the Gates and Bars Act.
The mountain road so called, from Maxner's corner to Alexander's corner.
The Maxfield hill road so called, from Teagues corner to A. O. Gove's residence.
The Farr road so called from the Farr place to the state aid road.

Art. 14. To see what action the town will take in regard to the balance of the Snow Roller money and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 15. To hear reports of town officers and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal, this Eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

E. S. Robinson,
Arthur W. Nelson,
A. R. Norton,

Selectmen of Goshen.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

E. S. Robinson,
Arthur W. Nelson,
A. R. Norton,

Selectmen of Goshen.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GOSHEN

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year Jan. 31,1927 to Jan. 31,1928. Composed with actual Revenue and Expenditures of the previous year Jan. 31, 1926 to Jan. 31, 1927.

Sources of Revenue	Actual 1926	Est. 1927
From State		
Savings bank tax	$ 107.57	$ 100.00
Dartmouth college, snow roads	37.50	50.00
For fighting forest fires	6.70	
For highways, class 5 roads	498.39	498.39
For state aid maintenance	526.18	720.00
For trunk line maintenance	1,155.64	2,720.00
Interest and dividend tax	2.63	2.63
Hedgehog and wild-cat bounties	39.80	
From Local Sources Except Taxes		
Automobile permits	290.80	275.00
Rent of town hall	5.00	
Int. received on taxes	94.84	75.00
Sale of plank	29.70	
Town scales	6.40	5.00
Sale of varnish	1.80	
Sale of cemetery lot	5.00	
From Poll Taxes	220.00	220.00
Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction		
From State		
For state aid highway construction	489.85	501.00
Amt. raised by issue of bonds or notes	1,000.00	
Revenue Which Must be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions		
Dog licenses	155.32	100.00
Total revenues from all sources Except property taxes	4,673.13	
Amount Raised by Property Taxes	6,617.69	6,617.69
Total Revenues	$11,290.82	

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

General Government	Actual 1926	Est. 1927
Town officers' salaries	$ 309.20	$ 310.00
Town officers' expenses	131.39	150.00
Election and registration expenses	65.00	40.00
Care and supplies for town hall	132.06	40.00
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police department	28.07	25.00
Fire department	13.40	15.00
Bounties	23.60	50.00
Health		
Health department	14.00	15.00
Vital statistics	3.25	3.25
Highways and Bridges		
State aid maintenance		
State's contribution	557.44	720.00
Town's contribution	371.63	480.00
Trunk line maintenance		
State's contribution	2,682.34	2,720.00
Town's contribution	670.59	680.00
Town maintenance	2,538.84	2,000.00
Education		
Libraries	151.37	125.00
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial Day flags	4.00	5.00
Soldiers aid	95.09	50.00

Public Service Enterprises		
Scales	3.20	3.20
Cemeteries	62.80	50.00
Taxes bought by town	43.74	50.00
Refund to collector	72.85	
Interest		
On temporary loans	216.04	216.00
Outlay for New Construction—Highways		
State aid construction		
State's contribution	507.80	501.00
Town's contribution	348.96	334.50
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Temporary loans	500.00	
Long term notes	500.00	
Payment of Other Governmental Divisions:		
State taxes	510.00	510.00
County taxes	434.09	434.09
Payments to school districts	1,942.44	1,942.44
Total Expenditures	$12,933.19	

INVENTORY

APRIL 1, 1926.

Land and Buildings	$ 205,555.00
90 Horses	7,935.00
110 Cows	5,500.00
30 Neat Stock	1,180.00
1 Hog	25.00
792 Fowls	1,020.00
1 Portable Mill	500.00
Wood and Lumber	5,335.00
4 Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,000.00
Stock in Trade	2,100.00
	$ 230,150.00
Amount exempted to Soldiers	$ 6,285.00

TAXES ASSESSED

FOR ALL PURPOSES

State Tax	$ 510.00
County Tax	434.09
Town Charges	600.00
Highways and Bridges	1,600.00
State Aid Construction	334.50
State Aid Maintenance	400.00
Trunk Line Maintenance	600.00
Library Books	25.00
Library Book Stacks	65.00
Shingling Town Hall	100.00
Notes	500.00
	$ 5,168.59

SCHOOLS

Required by Law	$ 1,094.12	
High School Tuition	165.00	
Salaries District Officers	62.00	
$2.00 Per Capita Tax (39)	78.00	
Supt. Excess Salary	125.00	
Expense of Administration	15.00	
Other Special Activities	25.00	
Alterations of Old Buildings	173.00	
New Equipment	50.00	
		$ 1,787.12
Total		$ 6,955.71

155 Polls @ $2.00	310.00

Rate of Taxation $2.86

Abatements, Lists of 1924	20.00
Abatements, Lists of 1925	16.16
Abatements, Lists of 1926	
Scranton and Davis water tubs	6.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	$ 17.59
Property unredeemed from Collectors Sale	43.74
Joint Highway accounts Unexpended balances in State Treasury	
Trunk Line Maintenance	850.82
State Aid Maintenance	44.80
Hedgehog Bounties	23.60
Taxes not collected, levy of 1924	28.07
Taxes not collected, levy of 1925	233.51
Taxes not collected, levy of 1926	2,122.06
Total Assets	$ 3,364.19
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	653.00
Grand Total	$ 4,017.19

LIABILITIES

Joint highway accounts, unexpended by town T L M	$ 212.70
State Aid Maintenance	29.86
Snow roller	74.63
Outstanding Temporary Loan Citizens National Bank	500.00
Long term Notes Outstanding Citizens National Bank	2,200.00
John G. Pike	1,000.00
Total Liabilities	$ 4,017.19

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1926		$ 126.55
J. S. Smart, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses		155.32
J. S. Smart, Town Clerk, Auto permits		290.80
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. 1923 taxes		23.65
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. Int. on 1923 taxes		2.36
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. 1924 taxes		92.29
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. Int. on 1924 taxes		12.12
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. 1925 taxes		2,144.90
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. Int. on 1925 taxes		75.75
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. 1926 taxes		4,576.85
J. S. Smart, Tax coll. Int. on 1926 taxes		4.61
Sugar River Sav. Bank, temp. loan		500.00
Sugar River Sav. Bank, temp. loan		500.00
Henry E. Chamberlin, State Treas. hedgehogs		19.80
Henry E. Chamberlin, State wild-cat bounty		20.00
Henry E. Chamberlin, State snow breaking		37.50
Henry E. Chamberlin, State special gas tax		498.39
Henry E. Chamberlin, State forest fires acc't.		6.70
Henry E. Chamberlin, State T L M highway acc't.		1,000.00
Henry E. Chamberlin, State highway tax		1,171.68
Henry E. Chamberlin, State Sav. Bank tax		107.57
Henry E. Chamberlin, State Int. and Dividend		2.63
Sundries	Sale of plank	29.70
	Town hall rent	5.00
	Town scales fees	6.40
	Sale of shellac and varnish	1.80
	Sale of cemetery lot	5.00
Total Receipts		$ 11,417.37
Paid by order of the selectmen		11,399.78
Balance in treasury Feb. 1, 1927		$ 17.59

Walter R. Nelson, Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From local taxes	
Property taxes current year	$ 4,356.85
Poll taxes	220.00
Property and poll taxes previous years	2,260.84
From state	
Trunk line snow roads	37.50
Class 5 roads	498.39
State aid maintenance	526.19
State aid construction	489.85
Trunk line maintenance	1,155.64
Interest and dividend tax	2.63
Savings Bank tax	107.57
Fighting forest fires	6.70
Bounties	39.80
From local sources except taxes	
Dog licenses	155.32
Rent of town hall	5.00
Interest received on taxes	94.84
Permits for the registration of motor vehicles	290.80
Receipts other than current revenue	
Temporary loans	1,000.00
Sale of plank	29.70
Town scales fees	6.40
Sale of shellac and varnish	1.80
Sale of cemetery lot	5.00
	$ 11,290.82
Cash on hand at beginning of year	126.55
Total	$ 11,417.37

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government	
Town officers' salaries	$ 309.20
Town officers' expenses	131.39
Election and registration expenses	65.00
Expense town hall	132.06
Protection of Persons and Property	
Police dept. including care of tramps	28.07
Fire dept. including forest fires	13.40
Bounties	23.60
Health	
Health dept.	14.00
Vital statistics	3.25
Highways and Bridges	
State aid maintenance	897.82
Trunk line maintenance	1,868.72
Town maintenance	2,538.84
Education	
Libraries	151.37
Patriotic Purposes	
Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	4.00
Aid to Soldiers and their families	95.09
Public Service Enterprises	
Markets and public scales	3.20
Cemeteries	62.80

Unclassified	
Taxes bought by town	43.74
Refund to collector, overpayment to treasurer	72.85
Interest	216.04
Outlay for New Construction	
State aid construction	838.81
Indebtedness	
Payments on temporary loans	500.00
Payments on long term loans	500.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions	
Taxes paid to state	510.00
Taxes paid to county	434.09
Payments to school districts	1,942.44
Total payments for all purposes	$ 11,399.78
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1927	17.59
Total	$ 11,417.37

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Geo. F. Crane, moderator	$ 9.00
John S. Smart, clerk	20.00
John S. Smart, auto permits	24.75
John S. Smart, collector	102.45
Emmett S. Robinson, selectman	35.00
Arthur W. Nelson, selectman	55.00
Allison R. Norton, selectman	30.00
W. R. Nelson, treasurer	20.00
E. S. Robinson, overseer of poor	5.00
W. B. Dandrow, constable	5.00
G. F. Crane, auditor	3.00
Total	$ 309.20

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Maurice S. Call, town reports	$ 69.20
John S. Smart, postage and stationery	4.00
Arthur W. Nelson, postage and stationery	3.50
Edson C. Eastman, payroll sheets and warrants	6.49
E. S. Robinson, tax meeting	5.00
A. W. Nelson, tax meeting	5.00
A. R. Norton, tax meeting and car	7.00
O. L. Carter, highway meeting	5.00
F. E. Teague, highway meeting	5.00
A. B. Babb, highway meeting	5.00
C. W. Rounsevel, transfers	2.20
Lovell's Drug Store, tax books	4.50
Association of N. H. Assessors	2.00
L. F. Grames & Sons	2.50
J. M. Barton, fees	2.00
J. G. Pike, election officers dinner	3.00
Total	$ 131.39

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Frank H. Smith, supervisor	$ 12.00
Archie O. Gove, supervisor	14.00
Russell Whitney, supervisor	14.00
L. J. Nelson, ballot clerk	6.00
William Brown, ballot clerk	6.00
Imri Crane, ballot clerk	6.00
Alfred B. Babb, ballot clerk	3.00
John S. Smart, putting up booths	4.00
Total	$ 65.00

TOWN HALL

H. M. Booth, shingles	$ 75.00
Silsby & Johnson, shingles	7.50
W. H. Royce, shingling	15.00
A. W. Nelson Jr. shingling	7.00
A. R. Norton, cord wood	12.00
O. L. Nelson, sawing wood	1.50
H. M. Booth, mantles, gas, chimneys, etc.	2.78
J. G. Pike, mantles, gas, chimneys, etc.	4.60
J. G. Pike, nails	1.68
J. G. Pike Jr., care of lanterns and gas	5.00
Total	$ 132.06

PROTECTION of PERSONS and PROPERTY

Police Department

Delphis Roberts, feeding tramps	$ 12.00
Harriet Samuels, feeding tramps	6.50
John G. Pike, feeding tramps	3.57
W. B. Dandrow, constable	6.00
Total	$ 28.07

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Geo. F. Crane, "The Elms Fire"	$ 10.40
Geo. F. Crane, warden	3.00
Total	$ 13.40

BOUNTIES

Arthur W. Nelson, hedgehog bounties	$ 10.00
Allison R. Norton, hedgehog bounties	10.20
Emmett S. Robinson,	3.40
Total	$ 23.60

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

A. W. Nelson, state board of health meeting	$ 9.00
J. S. Smart, health officer	5.00
Total	$ 14.00

VITAL STATISTICS

J. S. Smart, recording marriages, births, deaths	$ 3.25

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

John G. Pike, patrolman	$ 411.89
Harry Howe	4.68
George B. Lear & Co.	2.00
Willie E. Howe	28.42
E. Rossiter	3.50
Lucius T. Adams	7.00
William George	14.00
Imri G. Crane	26.06
George Ayotte	28.00
Walter Hall	104.62
A. Norton and truck	56.00
Peter Johnson	10.50
E. C. Foss	22.95
E. S. Nelson	10.50

Amos Trudeau	52.90
C. Parkins	24.90
Geo. Bartlett	24.90
A. Trudeau Jr.	3.50
B. Bartlett	12.45
L. Gladue	12.45
W. Crane	3.50
Arthur Parks	3.50
C. Parkins, gravel	15.00
P. Johnson, gravel	14.60
Total	$ 897.82
Paid by state engineering	$ 31.25

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

John G. Pike, patrolman	$ 643.50
W. E. Howe	111.23
E. W. Rossiter	7.00
A. Wright, steam roller	26.00
A. Trueworthy	26.85
J. B. Gocha	6.00
W. L. Whipple	25.30
S. Newton	15.95
A. Wright, oiling	125.32
L. Carter	15.17
I. G. Crane	25.28
M. Richardson	14.00
Walter Hall	57.95
Oliver Gladue	15.95
Geo. Ayotte	28.00
O. L. Nelson	31.90
John Pike Jr.	15.95
L. T. Adams	35.40
John Phelps	36.53
Peter Johnson	38.50
E. C. Foss	42.00
E. S. Nelson	38.50
A. W. Nelson Jr.	42.00

Arthur Parks	42.00
W. Royce	35.00
A. R. Norton and truck	166.00
Freight on tar	36.30
J. Pike, turpentine and oil	7.20
O. L. Carter, gravel	1.60
W. H. George, gravel	5.00
M. K. Pike, gravel	8.00
W. L. Whipple, gravel	8.70
E. S. Robinson, team and gravel	109.58
W. E. Howe, filling	7.00
Balance of snow account	3.00
T. Riley, drills	.75
Rogers Hardware Co., dynamite	10.10
H. Booth, oil, twine, etc.	4.21
	$ 1,868.72
Paid by State	
Engineering $98.20 Tarvia B $1,213.85 —	$1,312.05
Cold Patch $139.00 Truck $22.50 —	161.50
Culverts $32.40 Paint $19.10 Garage $1.65 —	53.15
	$1,526.70

TOWN MAINTENANCE

F. E. Teague, Division

Snow Roads

J. McAllister and team	$ 37.80
Amos Trudeau and team	33.60
F. E. Teague and team	40.50
George Fortune	29.75
Carl Bennett	13.05
Amos Trudeau 2nd	8.75
Rene Trudeau	16.40
E. C. Foss	2.00
G. B. Bartlett	7.80
Clyde Bartlett	4.20
W. Kempton	12.35

Clifford Talbot	9.80
Frank Talbot	4.40
Douglas McGuinnis	4.40
Samuel Bean	5.25
Louis Gladue	2.40
Arthur Auger	1.75
Total	$ 234.20

Dirt Roads

Amos Trudeau and team	$ 24.50
Amos Trudeau 2nd	6.00
Louis Gladue	18.00
Rene Trudeau	9.00
Walter Hall	2.80
Clyde Bartlett	2.10
Carl Bennett	4.40
George Fortune	36.00
Wilson Kempton and team	28.60
Frank Talbot	1.40
Clifford Talbot	20.80
Charles Hamel	4.50
Charles Felton	3.60
Fred E. Teague and team	201.20
Neal Teague	3.00
James McAllister and team	30.00
Arthur Auger	6.00
Douglas McGuinnis	3.00
Samuel Bean	6.00
Maurice Richardson	12.00
Elmer Foss	3.00
George Foss	3.00
Oliver Gladue	3.00
Total	$ 431.90

Special Class 5

Amos Trudeau, team and gravel	$ 19.10
Louis Gladue	12.00
Rene Trudeau	6.00
Clyde Bartlett	8.15
F. E. Teague and team	33.00
James McAllister, team	24.00
Maurice Richardson	6.00
Hartson Morey	42.00
George Bartlett	13.20
Thomas Teague, gravel	1.20
Total	$ 164.65

O. L. Carter, Division

Snow Roads

A. B. Babb and team	$ 11.68
I. G. Crane and team	17.11
O. L. Carter	7.97
L. T. Adams	19.52
W. E. Howe	3.50
L. D. Carter	23.80
J. E. Phelps	1.17
W. Kempton	4.68
J. McAllister	3.90
F. Teague	3.90
S. Bean	4.45
Clifford Talbot	4.45
Frank Talbot	1.95
Douglas McGuinnis	1.95
Total	$ 110.03

Dirt Roads

John E. Phelps	$ 29.52
Leslie D. Carter	38.56
Oscar L. Carter	27.50
A. W. Nelson and team	45.33
W. H. Royce	23.00
E. Levelle	4.83
I. G. Crane and team	17.17
George Ayotte and team	46.00
G. F. Crane	1.33
P. H. Nelson	11.17
Arthur Nelson Jr.	8.17
Total	$ 252.58

Special Class 5

John E. Phelps	$ 23.66
Leslie D. Carter	20.66
Oscar L. Carter	9.00
A. W. Nelson	5.00
W. H. Royce	7.66
Allison R. Norton and truck	27.00
Imri G. Crane and team	9.00
George Ayotte, team	18.00
George F. Crane	3.00
William Crane	6.00
E. S. Nelson	21.66
John E. Phelps, gravel	12.40
A. W. Nelson Jr.	21.67
Total	$ 184.71

A. B. Babb, Division

Snow Roads

A. B. Babb and team	$ 31.46
H. B. Babb and team	43.54
O. L. Carter	7.00
Geo. F. Crane	14.04
George Ayotte and team	7.56
M. J. Colby	4.29
I. G. Crane	6.00
Total	$ 113.89

Dirt Roads

A. B. Babb	$ 77.33
H. B. Babb and team	101.70
G. F. Crane	15.34
M. J. Colby	64.38
L. T. Adams	4.20
I. G. Crane	18.08
A. R. Norton and truck	30.50
J. E. Phelps	6.00
W. H. Royce	9.00
P. H. Nelson	8.64
A. W. Nelson	6.00
Albert Pike	10.00
Carl Rosenthal	4.00
O. L. Carter, gravel	2.40
Peter Johnson, gravel	.80
Total	$ 358.37

Special Class 5

A. B. Babb and team	$ 43.57
H. B. Babb	33.45
O. L. Nelson and team	6.24
M. J. Colby	19.48
I. G. Crane	43.57
Peter Johnson	14.00
A. W. Nelson and team	7.00
Carl Rosenthal, gravel	.30
Total	$ 167.61

BRIDGES

H. B. Sawyer, plank	$ 155.82
O. L. Nelson and team, planking bridge	3.00
A. W. Nelson, planking bridge	1.50

CULVERTS

The Berger Co.	$ 110.40

GENERAL EXPENSE OF DEPT.

W. H. Royce, returning tractor	$ 1.00
E. Robinson, work on Lear road	3.50
E. Robinson and B. Chambers, Lear road	47.30
A. C. Benjes, dynamite, fuses and caps	39.50
A. Norton, rake	1.25
H. B. Babb, repairing plow	9.38
H. M. Booth, shovels	12.75
J. S. Smart, storing tools	1.50
Harold Fairbanks, scraper	56.00
Harold Fairbanks, trunk line snow road	78.00
Total	$ 520.90

LIBRARIES

Mrs. W. L. Whipple, librarian	$ 36.00
Books	25.00
Book stacks	65.00
Bal. on Book-cases and work	25.37
Total	$ 151.37

CHARITIES PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Aid to G. A. R. and Memorial Day Exercises	
J. W. Johnson & Son, flags	$ 4.00
Aid to soldiers and their families	
Mira A. Lear, milk and veg. to Mrs. Geo. Kiblin,	22.95
A. R. Norton, wood to Mrs. Geo. Kiblin,	7.00
W. B. Dandrow, groceries to Mrs. Geo. Kiblin,	7.77
H. M. Booth, groceries to Mrs. Geo. Kiblin,	33.37
John B. Gocha, wood to Mrs. Geo. Kiblin,	24.00
Total	$ 95.09

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Market and Public Scales	
John G. Pike, town scales	$ 3.20

CEMETERIES

Neal Teague, sexton No. Goshen	$ 23.80
W. E. Howe, sexton Mill Village 1925	17.00
W. E. Howe, sexton Mill Village 1926	12.00
Geo. F. Crane, sexton Goshen Corner	10.00
Total	$ 62.80

UNCLASSIFIED

Taxes Bought By Town	
From collector's sale	$ 43.74
Refund to tax collector over-payment of 1925 taxes	72.85

INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Citizens National Bank	$ 30.00

INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES

John G. Pike	$ 50.00
Citizens National Bank	136.04
Total	$ 216.04

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

John E. Phelps	$ 45.50
W. H. Royce	7.00
L. T. Adams	35.00
I. G. Crane	42.00
E. S. Nelson	70.78
A. W. Nelson Jr.	43.75
E. C. Foss	47.40
A. Parks	70.78
A. R. Norton Jr.	269.50
G. Crane and team	56.00
A. B. Babb, team	31.50
Peter Johnson	31.50
H. B. Babb	7.00
A. W. Nelson	3.50
C. Rosenthal, gravel	5.30
Mrs. Whitney, gravel	3.10
Peter Johnson, gravel	69.20
Total	$ 838.81
Paid by state, engineering	17.95

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

Temporary Loans

Citizens National Bank	$ 500.00

LONG TERM NOTES

Citizens National Bank	$ 500.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

State and County Tax

Henry E. Chamberlin, state treasurer	$ 510.00
Wesley A. Hunt, county treasurer	434.09
Total	$ 944.09

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Althine F. Lear, treasurer	$ 1,787.12
Dog tax	155.32
Total	$ 1,942.44

TRUST FUNDS

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF GOSHEN, Jan. 31, 1927.

Date of Creation, Feb. 23, 1911.
Purpose of Creation, Zemira C. Marshall, Cemetery Fund
How Invested, Sugar River Savings Bank, Newport.
Amount of Principal, $75.00
Rate of Interest, 4%
Balance of Income on Hand at beginning of year, $48.09
Income during year, $4.96
Expended during year, $4.50
Balance of Income on Hand at end of year, $48.55

Date of Creation, April 6, 1923.
Purpose of Creation, Marilla Z. Parker, Library Fund
How Invested, Sugar River Savings Bank, Newport.
Amount of Principal, $300.00
Rate of Interest, 4%
Income during year, $12.12
Expended during year, $12.12

Arthur W. Nelson,
George B. Bartlett,
John S. Smart,
Trustees.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I certify that I have examined the books of the town clerk, tax collector, trustees of trust funds and find them correctly cast and properly vouchered.

George F. Crane, Auditor.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

We are glad to report continued growth and prosperity for the Goshen Public Library. The need for more shelfroom for books has been met by installing two new double stack bookcases, one of which was the generous gift of Mrs. Emerette A. Hall, who was our first librarian, and who has always retained a warm interest in the welfare of the library. Mrs. Hall also presented a fine portrait of herself to the library.

Our thanks are also due to Mr. H. H. Halladay of Brookline, Mass., for a large steel engraving of the Declaration of Independence, also to Mrs. Flora Stevens, of Plymouth, Mass., for the Good Housekeeping Magazine. Thirty-four new volumes have been added to the library by purchase and a subscription to the Granite Monthly which will now be found upon our reading table, also the Dearborn Independent.

We were fortunate in having the services of Mrs. W. L. Whipple as librarian and hope to retain her help for the year to come.

M. Julia Crane
Althine F. Lear
Lillian A. Smart
Lucy E. F. Newton
Walter R. Nelson
Grace A. Bartlett.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

Money on hand at beginning of year	$ 20.80
Received of town treasurer	25.00
Interest on trust fund	12.12
Total receipts	$ 57.92
Expended for books	$ 50.00
Money in treasury Jan. 31, 1927	7.92
Total	$ 57.92

Althine F. Lear, Treasurer.

SCHOOL BUDGET

Proposed School Budget for Goshen as Proposed by the Goshen School Board October 15, 1926. Basis for the work of the school year 1926-1927.

ADMINISTRATION	
Salaries of District Officers	$ 62.00
Superintendents excess salary	125.00
Truant officer and school census	6.00
Expense of Administration	10.00
INSTRUCTION	
Principals and teachers' salaries	$ 1,764.00
Text books	150.00
Scholars supplies	50.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	10.00
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT	
Janitor services	36.00
Fuel	80.00
Water, lights and janitor supplies	12.00
Repairs and expenses	150.00
AUXILIARY AGENCIES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	
Medical inspection	10.00
Transportation of pupils	954.00
High school and academy tuition	495.00
Other Special activities	40.00
DEBT: INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES	
Tax for state wide supervision ($2.00 per capita)	92.00
Total	$ 4,056.00

Otho L. Nelson,
Arthur W. Nelson,
Lucy E. F. Newton,
School Board of Goshen.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal year ending June 30, 1926

Cash on hand June 30, 1925	$ 10.44
Received from selectmen, raised by taxation	1,700.94
Received from dog tax	91.86
Received from state treasurer	2,162.91
Money borrowed	500.00
Received from all other sources	50.00
Total	$ 4,516.15
Less school board orders paid	4,486.06
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1926	$ 30.09

Althine F. Lear, District treasurer.

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE GOSHEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid	
Equalization fund for elementary schools	$ 2,162.91
Income From Local Taxation	
For the support of elementary schools	$ 1,171.94
For the payment of high school tuition	100.00
For the salaries of district officers	62.00
Alteration of buildings and new equipment	125.00
Payment of per capita tax	102.00
Supt. excess salary	125.00
Expense of administration and special activities	15.00
Total	$ 3,863.85
From Sources other than Taxation	
Dog licenses	$ 91.86
Money borrowed	500.00
Transportation from Sunapee Board	50.00
Cash on hand July 1, 1925	10.44
Grand Total	$4,516.15

PAYMENTS

Administration	
Salaries of district officers	$ 56.00
Superintendent's excess salary	125.00
Truant officers and school census	6.00
Expenses of administration	4.10
Instruction	
Principals' and teachers salaries	2,304.00
Text books	118.43
Scholars' supplies and flags	36.43
Operation and maintenance of school plant	
Janitor service	61.00
Fuel	73.00
Water, light and janitor supplies	24.70
Minor repairs and expenses	40.76
Auxiliary agencies and special activities	
Medical inspection	15.00
Transportation of pupils	607.00
High school tuition	165.00
Other special activities	10.00
Other fixed charges	102.00
Alteration of old buildings	225.02
New equipment	10.82
Debt, interest and other charges	
Payment of debt and interest	501.80
Total payments for all purposes	$ 4,486.06
Cash on hand June 30, 1926	30.09
Grand Total	$4,516.15

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Mrs. Mildred F. George, teaching, transp'n	$ 940.00
Mrs. Maude W. Brown, teaching	810.25
Miss Elizabeth E. Tate, teaching	738.00
Fred E. Teague, transportation	432.00
Newport School District	205.36
Mrs. Pearl M. Perkins, supt. salary	125.00
W. H. Royce, labor	118.00
Henry E. Chamberlin, per capita tax	102.00
First National Bank of Newport	501.80
F. P. Rowell, lumber and cement	78.67
Arthur W. Nelson, lumber, wood, salary	62.48
Silsby & Johnson	51.94
H. H. Chatfield, door, window, etc.	15.04
G. B. Bartlett, wood	20.00
Helen S. Nelson, janitor	15.00
Lucy E. F. Newton, salary	21.00
Otho L. Nelson, salary and wood	18.00
True C. Morrill	10.00
Althine F. Lear, salary	10.00
H. B. Sawyer, lumber	6.60
Clyde Bartlett, janitor	14.00
Newport public health association	15.00
Walter R. Nelson	4.00
John G. Pike, janitor supplies	1.55
Houghton & Simonds	1.02
Mrs. Inez Scranton	4.00
Current Events	3.15
Silver Burdett & Co.	5.91
Fort Hill Paper Co.	6.50
Ginn & Co.	13.72
McMillan Co.	14.42
World Book Co.	5.91
Edward E. Babb & Co.	40.08
Heath & Co.	7.15

Hammett Co.	12.00
Laidlaw Brothers	14.91
Arlo Publishing Co.	3.42
American Book Co.	1.89
Milton Bradley	.54
Oral & Koster	5.00
Total	$ 4,486.06
Money in treasury	30.09
	$ 4,516.15

Althine F. Lear, Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the treasurer and school board for the school year ending June 30, 1926 and have found them correct with proper vouchers.

Russell Whitney, Auditor.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Goshen:

In my twenty years of experience in school work I do not think I have ever seen schools better contented or happier in purposeful work than the enrollment of pupils in our schools at present. I do not know where you would find two teachers who could fit into their respective situations better than Mrs. Brown and Miss Dimick. It has been a very real pleasure to observe the work in these two schools this year. It always seems to be of the same, uniformly high order.

I might say that pupils entering high school this fall from both schools are well prepared to carry on the work. This speaks well for our schools.

The Village school has had a very real transformation during the summer. No school room in this school union has been improved more in appearance than this one. The new paint has put a lot of sunshine in the room. The new heater has added health to the room. It would not have been possible to have accommodated the twenty-six pupils in this schoolroom with healthy surroundings had it not have been for the new heating and ventilating system. This was an investment in health. It is noticeable that pupils in schools of larger enrollment do better work where the room is properly heated and ventilated. I am able to observe this in a two-room school where the adjoining rooms are heated differently, one with the ordinary jacketed stove, the other with a schoolroom heater like the one at Mill Village. The contrast is great both in scholarship and healthful conditions. It is hoped that we may complete the transformation at Mill Village this next summer by building a wood shed at the rear of the schoolhouse, thereby releasing the present wood shed for storage for the pupils' wraps, taking the space into the schoolroom the same as it was done at Number Five.

I have no news but good news this year relative to our schools, consequently the report is necessarily short. I am grateful for the fine support accorded me by the School Board and the fine backing accorded the schools by the citizens. With such mutual support of our schools together with a splendid attitude toward our schools emanating from the State Board of Education I can see no reason why we shall not be able to equal the work in the fundamentals of any schools in the state. Anyway, we will keep this in mind as our goal. With superior teachers and good equipment, together with good backing as already accorded, nothing can obstruct our view of the high goal which we have set for ourselves.

Respectfully submitted,

True C. Morrill

Superintendent of Schools.

GOSHEN STATISTICAL REPORT

School	Teacher	1927	1926
Mill Village	Mildred George		13
Mill Village	Metalena Dimick	26	
Number Five	Maude W. Brown	15	16
Center	Elizabeth E. Tate		6
	Total	41	35

Winter Term—Closes March 25, 1927. Twelve weeks. Two weeks' vacation. Spring Term—Begins April 11, 1927. Closes Flag Day June 10. Nine weeks. Fall Term—Begins September 12, Fifteen weeks. Closes December 23. Vacation of one week.

Winter Term—Begins January 2, 1928, Twelve weeks. Closes March 23, 1928. Holidays—Armistice Day is not a Legal Holiday. Close at noon on Wednesday before Thanksgiving until Monday following.
Columbus Day and Washingston's Birthday. Memorial Day.

MARRIAGES

REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GOSHEN, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date 1926	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	No. Marriage	Occupation of Each	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation
June 25	Goshen, N. H.	Arthur W. Nelson	Goshen, N. H.	46	2	Farmer	Newport, N. H.	Hial F. Nelson	Croydon, N. H.	
								Ida L. Farr	Goshen, N. H.	Housekeeper
		Ethel O. Lombard	Goshen, N. H.	32	1	Preaching	Lowell, Mass.	Albert E. Lombard	Lowell, Mass.	Retired
								Emma L. Littlefield	Lowell, Mass.	Housewife
July 3	Newport, N. H.	Ivan E. Scranton	Goshen, N. H.	21	1	Shoemaker	Goshen, N. H.	Edgar T. Scranton	Newport, N. H.	Farmer
								Inez V. Knights	Goshen, N. H.	Housewife
		Doris L. Lewis	Goshen, N. H.	19	1	At Home	Groveland, Mass.	Arthur B. Lewis	Merrimac, Mass.	Farmer
								Mabel L. Pearl	Haverhill, Mass.	Housewife
Aug. 14	Newport, N. H.	Louis J. Gladue	Goshen, N. H.	21	1	Farmer	Bristol, R. I.	Louis Gladue	Rouses Pt., N. Y.	Fireman
								Marguerite Trudeau	Howick, P. Q.	Housewife
		Edith C. Lewis	Goshen, N. H.	20	1	At Home	W. Boxford, Mass.	Arthur B. Lewis	Merrimac, Mass.	Farmer
								Mabel L. Pearl	Haverhill, Mass.	Housewife

BIRTHS

REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GOSHEN, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date 1926	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Condition	Father's Name	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
April 10	John Roberts	M	3	L	Delphis Roberts	Vera H. Lewis	Chauffeur	Lowell, Mass.	Claremont, N. H.
Sept. 14		F	3	L	Joseph Terrian	Josephine V. LaFrance	Shoemaker	Claremont, N. H.	Lempster, N. H.
Feb. 16	David Lloyd Carter	M	1	L	Leslie D. Carter	Margaret W. Campbell	Farmer	N. Chelmsford, Mass.	Yonkers, N. Y.

DEATHS

REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GOSHEN, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1926.

Date 1926	Name of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Birthplace	Sex	Condition	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 28	John Leander Corkum	83	11		Nova Scotia	M	S	Farmer	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia	George Corkum	Jane Frail
Oct. 30	Phoebe Butterworth	68	11	6	Liverpool, Eng.	F	W	Housewife	England	Unknown	Lamb	Unknown
Nov. 20	Emma Rayner	72	8	24	Cambridge, Eng.	F	S	Author	England	England	Thomas G. Rayner	Malvala Holmes

Brought to Goshen For Burial

April 4, Newport, N. H., Elber W. Hurd, 64 years - 8 months - 19 days

April 10, Concord, N. H., Hattie A. McLaughlin, 46 years - 4 months - 3 days

July 21, Newport, N. H., Parker T. Dow, 82 years - 7 months - 26 days.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN S. SMART, Town Clerk.